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The documents listed on the attached PTO 1449 were cited in a PTO Form 892 for co-pending Application Serial No. 09/686,628. Copies of the listed documents are attached.

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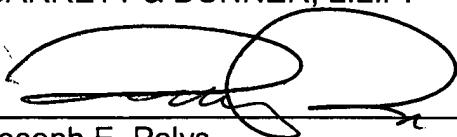
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